MINUTES OF THE SENATE EDUCATION STANDING COMMITTEE WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 2009 ROOM 415, STATE CAPITOL

Members Present: Sen. Curtis Bramble, Chair

Sen. Margaret Dayton Sen. Brent Goodfellow Sen. Karen Morgan

Sen. Howard A. Stephenson

Members Excused: Sen. Lyle Hillyard

Sen. Scott Jenkins

Staff Present: Allison Nicholson, Policy Analyst

Dee Larsen, Associate General Counsel

Karen C. Allred, Secretary

Public Speakers Present: Susan Kuziak, Utah Education Association

A list of visitors and a copy of handouts are filed with the committee minutes.

Chair Bramble called the meeting to order at 8:16 a.m.

MOTION: Sen. Goodfellow moved to approve the minutes of the February 19 and 23, 2009 meetings.

The motion passed unanimously, with Sens. Morgan and Stephenson absent for the vote.

1. S.B. 240 -- Utah Science Technology and Research Initiative Amendments

Chair Bramble introduced the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Goodfellow moved to pass S.B. 240 out of committee with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed unanimously with Sen. Stephenson absent for the vote.

2. <u>1st Sub. H.b. 21 -- Posting of Collective Bargaining Agreements by School Districts</u> and Charter Schools

Rep. Sumsion introduced and explained the bill.

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Susan Kuziak, Utah Education Association, spoke in favor of the bill.

MOTION: Sen. Dayton moved to pass 1st Sub. H.B. 21 out of committee with a favorable recommendation.

The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Sen. Dayton moved to place 1st Sub. H.B. 21 on the Consent Calendar.

The motion passed unanimously.

MOTION: Sen. Morgan moved to adjourn.

The motion passed unanimously.

Chair Bramble adjourned the meeting at 8:21 a.m.

Minutes were reported by Karen C. Allred, Secretary.

 Sen. Curtis Bramble	